



ATTN: MAIL STOP AMENDMENT  
PATENT APPLICATION

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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In Re the Application of:

Brandt, Kevin S.  
Gaines, Patrick J.  
Stinchcomb, Dan T.  
Wisnewski, Nancy

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For: "FLEA HEAD, NERVE CORD,  
HINDGUT AND MALPIGHIAN  
TUBULE NUCLEIC ACID  
MOLECULES, PROTEINS AND  
USES THEREOF"

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on March 9, 2005, Applicants request reconsideration based on the following amendments and remarks.

) Group Art Unit: 1636

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) Examiner: Vogel, Nancy S.

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I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THIS CORRESPONDENCE  
IS BEING DEPOSITED WITH THE UNITED STATES  
POSTAL SERVICE AS FIRST CLASS MAIL IN AN  
ENVELOPE ADDRESSED TO MAIL STOP  
AMENDMENT, COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS, P.O.  
BOX 1450, ALEXANDRIA, VA 22313-1450, ON THIS  
9TH DAY OF JUNE 2005.

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By:

*Susan Gordon*

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